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BARRAGA: NEWS FROM THE 11TH DISTRICT

BARRAGA MEETS WITH JAMEL HUDSON TO DISCUSS “2017 S.M.A.R.T. SUMMER INSTITUTE PROGRAM”



Shown above with Suffolk County Legislator Tom Barraga (R-West Islip) is Jamel Hudson of Empower1Self, Inc.

Recently, Suffolk County Legislator Tom Barraga (R-West Islip) had the pleasure of meeting with Jamel Hudson of Empower 1Self Inc, and resident of Bay Shore.

Jamel is a highly motivated and multi-talented young man who has the unique ability to combine entertainment and education into shows and presentations to “edutain” audiences across the country.

Jamel has appeared on American Idol and performed at the Gateway Playhouse. He is a graduate of St. Anthony’s High School where he performed on stage, and excelled both athletically and academically.

His success at wrestling earned him a full scholarship to Hofstra University, graduating with Bachelor's in Rhetorical Studies and later a Master's in Rhetorical Studies and Distinction.

“Taking Down Bullying” is one of Jamel's presentations. The goal of the presentation is to empower participants to use their gifts and talents to combat bullying. It has been broadcast on major television networks and viewed across the country by thousands of students.

This summer Jamel is conducting a summer program; 2017 S.M.A.R.T. Summer institute. The five week program will run from June 29th 2017 – August 3, 2017, Monday – Friday, 8:30 am – 12:30 pm for students entering 4th – 9th grades. It will be held at 458 Wilson Blvd, Central Islip, NY and staffed by NYS Certified Teachers, Teacher assistants, and Coaches. For additional information about the program, please call (631) 664-3610 or email at EMPOWER1SELF@GMAIL.COM.